ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A method and system for setting up a communication link in a communication network from a communication terminal to a destination communication terminal, in which the communication link is allocated a weighting, and an already existing old communication link to the destination communication terminal is interrupted and the communication link from the communication terminal to the destination communication terminal is set up if the communication link has a higher weighting than the old communication link. To improve the setting up of weighted communication links, while the communication link is being set up, the weighting thereof is changed by the network if the communication link needs to be operated with either lower priority or higher priority.